plotly

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1 Sorani Kurdish data visualisation using Plotly

1.1 Setup

```
[]: import pandas as pd
import locale, platform
import unicodedata as ud, regex as re
from plotly.offline import init_notebook_mode
init_notebook_mode(connected = True)
import plotly.express as px
```

1.2 Helper functions

Open datasets often use the narrow set of Anglo-specific conventions that allows Python to recorgnise a number as either an integer or a floating point number. When scraping data from PDF files or web sites, it is possible to encounder other numeral systems. These numeral systems would not be recognised as integers or floating point numbers in Python, rather they would be treated as strings.

convert_digits will convert a native number format into either an integer or floating point number. This can be applied as a post-processing step, or it can be applied as a converter when reading the data.

```
def convert_digits(s, sep = (",", ".")):
   nd = re.compile(r'^-?\p{Nd}[,.\u066B\u066C\u0020\u2009\u2005\p{Nd}]*$')
   tsep, dsep = sep
   if nd.match(s):
        s = s.replace(tsep, "")
        s = ''.join([str(ud.decimal(c, c)) for c in s])
        if dsep in s:
            return float(s.replace(dsep, ".")) if dsep != "." else float(s)
        return s

seps = ("\u066C", "\u066B")
digitsconv = lambda x: convert_digits(x.replace("-", ""), sep = seps)
```

convert_to_sorani_ns converts Western Arabic numerals, used by Python, to the Arabic flavour of Eastern Arabic numerals used in Sorani Kurdish.

1.3 Read data

```
[]: conv = {
    ' ': digitsconv,
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    ' ': digitsconv,
    ' ': digitsconv,
    ' ': digitsconv
}
df = pd.read_table("../data/demographics.tsv", converters=conv)
df
```

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```

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[]: col_list=[" " ," " ," " ," "]
total_df = df[col_list].sum(axis=0)
print(total_df)
```

 dtype: int64

1.4 Sorani Kurdish plot

- 1. Add Sorani Kurdish title label, and axes labels.
- 2. Mirror UI, if required.
- 3. Calculate tickvals and generate ticktext values by appling convert_to_sorani_ns() in order to convert Western Arabic digits to Eastern Arabic digits, scale numbers to millions, and trim numbers.

```
[]: fig = px.bar(x=total_df.index, y=total_df.values)
     fig.update_layout(
         title={
             'text': '
             'y':0.95,
             'x':0.5,
             'xanchor': 'center',
             'yanchor': 'top'},
         xaxis_title="
         yaxis_title="
         font=dict(
             family="Vazirmatn",
             size=14,
             color="Grey"
         )
     fig.show()
```

1.4.1 Mirror UI

Update layout to:

- 1. Add dictionary for xaxis, providing axis label and set autorange value to reverse, to reverse the x-axis.
- 2. Add dictionary for yaxis, providing axis label and set axis to display on right side of plot.

1.4.2 Convert digits

It is necessary to calculate the y-axis tick values, and convert them to Eastern Arabic numerals. To do this we need to know minimum and maximum values of the y-axiz tick values, and the increments used for tick values (dtick). fig.layout.yaxis.dtick will only return a value if dtick is explicitly set.

То get obtain the value used for dtick. it is necessary use fig.full_figure_for_development(). In theory this function should not be used in a production environment, but it is currently the only way to programatically determine the axis tick values, unless range and dtick is explicitly set by the developer.

To use fig.full_figure_for_development(), the *kaleido* package must be installed:

pip3 install -U kaleido

```
[]: %%capture
full_fig = fig.full_figure_for_development()
```